

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

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- Day 1 (Saturday): Areas of thick smoke will persist across much of the state today. Elevated fire weather conditions are expected across southern CA today.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

09/19/20 - 09/25/20

Saturday-Friday

- Areas of wildfire smoke will continue across much of the state.
- Elevated fire weather conditions are expected this weekend and into early next week with occasional gusty winds and continued dry conditions across the central and southern Sierras and across portions of southern CA.
- Periods of localized stronger Sundowner winds up to 40 mph are expected Saturday morning and again Saturday evening into Sunday morning across southern Santa Barbara County.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

09/19/20 - 09/25/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern	Southern					
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland/ Southern	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

09/19/20 - 09/25/20



Saturday



Sunday



Monday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

09/24/20 - 10/02/20

6-10 Day Outlook (September 24 – September 28)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored statewide, except for above normal precipitation expected across NW CA.

8-14 Day Outlook (September 26 – October 2)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored statewide, except for below normal precipitation expected across northern CA.



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